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3636**PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that the shortened statutory period which was set for responding to the Office Action dated November 4, 2005 be extended for two months until April 4, 2006.

Credit Card Authorization Form PTO 2038 in the amount of \$450.00 is enclosed herewith for payment of the fee associated with this Petition, as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or to credit any overpayment in connection with this Petition to Deposit Account No. 23-3178. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefore and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 23-3178.

Dated this 4<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2006.

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